

WALNUT CANYON NATIONAL MONUMENT

PUBLIC USE REPORTING AND COUNTING INSTRUCTIONS

Following are detailed instructions for collecting and reporting data to be entered on Form 10-157, Revised, Monthly Public Use Report by Walnut Canyon National Monument. These instructions are effective the date of issuance and will continue in effect unless changed by amendment or by memorandum from the Socio-Economic Studies Division to the superintendent approving a requested change.

Each item below describes the procedures to be followed in collecting public use data and summarizing the various elements of those data for entry on the corresponding line on the 10-157, Monthly Public Use Report.

Recreation Visits

1. An inductive loop traffic counter is installed at the main entrance to the park. The traffic counter is reduced by the number of non--reportable vehicles (Table 1) and buses. The reduced traffic count is multiplied by the persons per vehicle multiplier of 2.9.
2. The number of visitors that arrive by bus.

Non-recreation Visits

The number of non-recreation visits is estimated at 40 per month.

Recreation Visitor Hours

The total recreation visits is multiplied by 1.3 hours.

Non-recreation Visitor Hours

The number of non-recreation visits is multiplied by 0.5 hour.

Table 1
Non--Reportable Vehicles by Season

Season	Non--Reportable Vehicles
May through September	1,150
October through April	670